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(Type in plaintext or code)Via AIRTEL AIRMAIL - REGULAR MAIL - REGISTERED
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TO: ACTING DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

FROM: SAC, MILWAUKEE

SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSKY, aka
ITWI; IYAR - GAMBLING
MI 165-128NATIONWIDE LAYOFF OPERATION
ITWICO: MILWAUKEE
MI 165-280

Reference Milwaukee report of SA [redacted]
dated 3/15/73, New Haven letter dated 3/13/73, New York
letter dated 3/20/73, Charlotte letter dated 4/16/73,
Las Vegas letter dated 4/13/73, Boston letter dated
4/23/73 and Boston nitel dated 3/5/73.

Enclosed for Miami is one copy of Charlotte letter
dated 4/16/73.

By way of summary for the Bureau and all receiving
offices, the following positive information regarding the

- 1 - Bureau (2 - 165-1347) (RM) (AM)
- 1 - Chicago (165-865) (Registered Mail) (Regular Mail)
- 2 - Atlanta (165-656) (RM) (AM)
- 2 - Boston (165-957) (RM) (AM)
- 2 - Las Vegas (165-1576) (RM) (AM)
- 2 - Los Angeles (165-4789) (RM) (AM)
- 2 - Miami (165-430) (RM) (AM) (Enc. 1)
- 2 - New York (165-401) (RM) (AM)
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MI 165-280

Nationwide Layoff Operation has been developed since report
of SA [redacted] dated 3/15/73: *MASS*

Conn The New Haven Division has advised that [redacted]

[redacted] Title III coverage of [redacted]

[redacted] An affidavit seeking Title
III coverage on [redacted] was being submitted by the New Haven
Division.

The New York Division by airtel dated 3/20/73
advised that [redacted], identified as a possible
beard in referenced report was continuing his gambling
activity from Durham, North Carolina.

The Charlotte Division, by letter dated 4/16/73,
furnished the toll records for the months of January,
February and March, 1973, for the [redacted] telephone
number [redacted]. Review of these toll call printouts
reflects telephone calls which would indicate heavy
interstate gambling activity, considered pertinent to this
investigation in the Miami and New York areas. *nc*

Investigation at Milwaukee continues with
[redacted] in [redacted] with BRODSO. Source continues [redacted]

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On 3/22/73 [redacted] Hampton Station, U.S. Post Office, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, advised that BRODSON's shipment of newspapers stopped on 3/19/73.

On 4/27/73 [redacted] advised that [redacted]

[redacted]
[redacted] Source advised that [redacted]
[redacted]

For the information of Boston, telephone 414-332-3256 is listed to MARION BRODSON, 2420 East Stratford Court, Milwaukee. 414-466-1150 is listed to the Interstate Advertising Agency, 6150 Fond du Lac Avenue, Milwaukee. [redacted] is apparently a misprint by the Telephone Company as this number is listed to [redacted]

[redacted] Milwaukee indices negative re [redacted] WISC WISC

Receiving offices are being advised of positive information regarding the Nationwide Layoff Operation in order that appropriate weight can be given to information provided by [redacted] and investigation of "beards" within their respective divisions be conducted in order to identify and cover leading gambling figures within that division.

LEADSMIAMI DIVISIONAt Miami, Florida

Review toll records of [redacted], identify subscribers, conduct appropriate gambling investigation.

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MI 165-280NEW YORK DIVISIONAt New York, New York

Conduct same leads as Miami.

MILWAUKEE DIVISIONAt Milwaukee, WisconsinMaintain contact with

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

DATE: 8/22/73

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (165-128)-C

SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSO^ON, aka
ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING

OO: Milwaukee

Re report of SA [REDACTED], 3/15/73; and Milwaukee airtel to Bureau, 4/30/73.

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As cited in referenced report, Strike Force Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, has declined to prosecute BRODSO^ON inasmuch as he is not bookmaking or conducting ITWI in violation of Federal law. Milwaukee has continued to follow BRODSO^ON's activities through [REDACTED].

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Milwaukee has furnished interested offices with the results of investigation in this matter in order that activities of leading gambling figures within their territories might be followed. Milwaukee will continue to follow BRODSO^ON's activities through [REDACTED], however, as cited in referenced report, no further reports will be submitted and this matter is being placed in a closed status.

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1-Los Angeles (165-4789) (RM) (Info)
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

DATE: 12/27/73

FROM : SAC, MILWAUKEE (165-128) (P)

SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSOY, aka
ET AL
ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING

OO: MILWAUKEE

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Re Milwaukee letter to Bureau dated 8/22/73.

Case was previously closed in August, 1973, as Strike Force Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, had declined to prosecute subject inasmuch as he was apparently not involved in bookmaking activities or conducting ITWI in violation of Federal law. Incriminating evidence has been received during Title III surveillance regarding

Investigation in this matter will be reported under caption, "AUGUST S. PALMISSANO; ET AL; ITAR - GAMBLING; IGB; OOJ; MI 166-364." UACB no reports will be submitted to the Bureau under captioned title. * 18 USC 2510-et.seq.

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 FROM: SAC, MILWAUKEE
 SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSOY, aka.
 ET AL
 ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING

OO: MILWAUKEE
 BUFILE: 165-1347
 MI FILE: 165-128 (P)

AUGUST SAMUEL PALMISSANO, aka
 ET AL
 IGB; ITAR - GAMBLING;
 ITWI; OOJ - CONSPIRACY

OO: MILWAUKEE
 BUFILE: 166-5400
 MI FILE: 166-364

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 ④-Bureau (2-165-1347)
 (2-166-5400)
 2-Atlanta (165-656)
 2-Boston (165-957)
 2-Chicago (165-865) (ENC. 1)
 2-Cleveland
 2-Indianapolis
 2-Las Vegas (ENC. 1)
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 2-Minneapolis
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MI 166-364

Re Los Angeles airtels dated 11/1/73 and 2/26/73, captioned "Nationwide Layoff Operation, ITWI" and Milwaukee reports of SA [REDACTED], dated 11/17/72 and 1/30/73.

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Enclosed for Chicago, Pittsburgh and Las Vegas is a copy of toll records seized during search reflecting calls to Illinois, Pennsylvania and Las Vegas telephone numbers.

SIDNEY ALBERT BRODSOON is a nationally known and respected basketball handicapper who testified in 1951 before Senator KEFAUVER that he had bet between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 a year and accumulated a net worth of \$250,000 in seven years. Subsequent to his testifying, BRODSOON was indicted by Federal Grand Jury for income tax fraud. He plead guilty to the charge of evading 1950 income taxes and was sentenced in August 1958 to 18 months in prison and fined \$10,000.

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[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] This information was subsequently verified
by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

Title III coverage of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] reflected that [REDACTED]
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MI 166-364

A search warrant was executed on 1/13/74 on the person and residence of SIDNEY BRODSO. Seized were numerous account sheets reflecting BRODSO's nationwide beard system indicating he was owed in excess of \$250,000 by these beards.

The following items were obtained and are set forth below for the review of all receiving offices in order that these beards might be identified:

Account sheets with the following abbreviations:

[redacted] (Probably [redacted] local gambler)

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[redacted] (Probably [redacted])

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STEVE (Probably STEVE HALMO)

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401 (Probably [redacted] or one of his associates)

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[redacted] (Probably [redacted]
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[redacted] (Probably [redacted], previously identified
as BRODSON's beard in Pittsburgh)

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From BRODSON's wallet, the following names and telephone
numbers were obtained:

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[Redacted]

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Sauna Bath Equipment
Lafayette
317-447-2657

[Redacted]

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Piece of paper with return address of

[Redacted]

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Piece of paper with accounts with the
following names:

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Business card of
U.S. Betting Company, St. Paul, Minnesota,

Slip of paper with the following numbers:

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216 453 8840 454 1618

714 327 7417-19

A piece of paper with
the name [REDACTED].b6
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Promissory notes in excess of \$60,000 were also seized.

An envelop addressed to Attorney SID BRODSKY with the
return address of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] with a note contained therein, "Will send you a dime
every month on the old." This envelop was postmarked
3/25/70 from Las Vegas, Nevada.

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[REDACTED] had previously advised that [REDACTED]

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On 2/23/73, [REDACTED] advised that to his knowledge,
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Receiving offices are to consider beards of BRODSOON as subjects in this matter inasmuch as Strike Force Attorney, Chicago, Illinois has indicated that he would consider prosecution of BRODSOON's beards.


Receiving offices should review above information in an effort to identify presently unidentified individuals cited above.

Information copy of this communication is being furnished to Phoenix.

LEADSATLANTA DIVISIONAT ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Will determine subscriber to , obtain toll records and thereafter interview.

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Will determine identity of .

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MI 166-364

Will consider interview of [REDACTED]

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b7CBOSTON DIVISIONAT BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTSWill determine subscriber to telephone number [REDACTED]
obtain toll records and thereafter interview.b6
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Obtain toll records of [REDACTED] and [REDACTED].

Boston note that code number 401 owes BRODSO in access
of \$189,000.CHICAGO DIVISIONAT CHICAGO, ILLINOISWill obtain subscriber to Illinois telephone calls made from
BRODSO's residence on enclosed toll records.

Will interview [REDACTED].

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b7CCLEVELAND DIVISIONAT CANTON, OHIOWill determine if [REDACTED] or [REDACTED] is significant
and if so, will obtain toll records and conduct interviews.b6
b7CWill determine resident of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

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MI 166-364LOS ANGELES DIVISIONAT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIAWill target [] to develop further particulars
regarding BRODSOHN's activities.

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MIAMI DIVISIONAT MIAMI, FLORIDA

Will interview []

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b7CMINNEAPOLIS DIVISIONAT ST. PAUL, MINNESOTAWill interview []
U.S. Betting Company, and obtain toll records.b6
b7CNEW YORK DIVISIONAT NEW YORK, NEW YORK

Will interview [] and obtain toll records.

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b7CNEWARK DIVISIONAT NEWARK, NEW JERSEYWill determine subscriber to telephone number []
[] and [] and obtain toll records and
interview.b6
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(Priority)MI 165-128
MI 166-364

Will check indices, obtain toll records, interview and determine significance of note, "Will send you a dime every month on the old," noting that dime is a gambling parlance for \$1,000.

INDIANAPOLIS DIVISIONAT LAFAYETTE, INDIANA

Will determine subscriber to telephone number [REDACTED], obtain toll records and interview.

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Will interview owners of Sauna Bath Equipment, Lafayette.

LAS VEGAS DIVISIONAT LAS VEGAS, NEVADA

Will interview [REDACTED] regarding his furnishing the sports line to SID BRODSOON.

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Will determine subscriber to telephone number [REDACTED] called from BRODSOON's residence.

Will interview [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] if they are present within the Las Vegas Division.

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MI 166-364

Will determine significance of [REDACTED].

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Will review above information and also obtain subscribers to numbers called from BRODSOON's residence.

PITTSBURGH DIVISIONAT PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA

Will determine subscriber to [REDACTED] called from BRODSOON's residence.

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Will obtain toll records and interview.

Will interview [REDACTED].

Note that [REDACTED] apparently owes BRODSOON in excess of \$30,000.

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Will determine subscriber to telephone number [REDACTED] and obtain toll records and interview.

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(Type in plaintext or code)Via _____
(Priority)MI 165-128
MI 166-364ST. LOUIS DIVISIONAT ST. LOUIS PARK, MISSOURIWill obtain toll records and conduct interview of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Missouri.b6
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Will conduct appropriate investigation.

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Date: 2/7/74

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

FROM: SAC, LOS ANGELES (165-4789)(P)

SUBJECT: NATIONWIDE LAYOFF OPERATION
ITWI
OO: Los Angeles

Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau, dated 11/1/73; and Milwaukee airtel to the Bureau, dated 1/28/74, under case captioned "SIDNEY A. BRODSOON, aka; ET AL; ITWI; ITAR GAMBLING; MI 164-128" etc.

As previously set forth, the Los Angeles Division will compile information on a timely basis regarding above captioned matter for dissemination to interested offices. This is being done for intelligence purposes as well as possible prosecutive assistance, in view of this possible existence of a nationwide layoff operation as described previously by [redacted] Receiving offices should continue to furnish Los Angeles with any information developed that would be pertinent to above captioned matter.

- ② - Bureau *1cc dtd*
- 3 - Boston (182-584)(Info)
(1 - 165-980)
(1 - 165-957)
- 1 - Honolulu (Info)
- 2 - Las Vegas (165-1576)(Info)
(1 - 165-693)
- 1 - Miami (165-430)(Info)
- 3 - Milwaukee (165-280)(Info)
(1 - 165-128)
(1 - 166-364)
- 1 - New Orleans (165-1684)(Info)
- 1 - New York (Info)
- 1 - Phoenix (Info)
- 3 - Los Angeles
(1 - 165-3423)

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On 10/29/73, the New Orleans Division advised as follows:

[redacted] has advised during October 1973, that he had been unable to develop any information concerning a nationwide layoff operation as described in Los Angeles letter dated 7/19/73.

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On 11/7/73, [redacted] Los Angeles Division advised as follows:

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Informant related that [redacted]

[redacted]

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Informant advised that [redacted]

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Informant advised that [REDACTED]

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Informant related that [REDACTED]

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On 12/19/73, the New Orleans Division advised as follows:

Contact with [REDACTED] during November 1973, and December 1973, has developed no information that there is a nationwide layoff operation, at least involving gambling operations in the State of Louisiana. Gamblers and big bettors in the State of Louisiana, according to the informant, [REDACTED]

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On 12/19/73, [REDACTED] of the Los Angeles Division advised as follows:

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Informant advised that [REDACTED]

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[Redacted]

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On 1/7/74, [Redacted] of the Los Angeles
Division advised as follows:

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Informant stated that [Redacted]

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Informant advised that [Redacted]

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Informant advised that [Redacted]

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Informant advised that [REDACTED]

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On 1/23/74, the New Orleans Division advised as follows:

[REDACTED] has not developed any information indicating a nationwide layoff operation involving Louisiana gamblers.

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On 1/28/74, the Milwaukee Division furnished the following information:

SIDNEY ALBERT BRODSO is a nationally known and respected basketball handicapper who testified in 1951 before Senator KEFAUVER that he had bet between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000 a year and accumulated a net worth of \$250,000 in seven years. Subsequent to his testifying, BRODSO was indicted by Federal Grand Jury for income tax fraud. He plead guilty to the charge of evading 1950 income taxes and was sentenced in August 1958, to 18 months in prison and fined \$10,000.

[REDACTED] advised that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] This information was subsequently verified by [REDACTED] and [REDACTED]

Title III coverage of [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] reflected that

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LA 165-4789

A search warrant was executed on 1/13/74, on the person and residence of SIDNEY BRODSON. Seized were numerous account sheets reflecting BRODSON's nationwide beard system indicating he was owed in excess of \$250,000 by these beards.

[redacted] had previously advised that [redacted]

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On 2/23/73, [redacted] advised that to his knowledge, [redacted]

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Milwaukee Division also advised that beards of BRODSON were to be considered subjects in this matter inasmuch as Strike Force Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, has indicated that he would consider prosecution of BRODSON's beards.

AT LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

For the information of Milwaukee, and as the Phoenix Division is aware of, Los Angeles conducted a successful Title III investigation in regards to case captioned "[redacted] aka; ET AL; ITWI; ITAR GAMBLING; IGB, OO: Los Angeles," Los Angeles file 165-4692, Bufile 165-4015. In brief, this case involved

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an extensive nationwide layoff operation, involving among others the following personalities:



Los Angeles
New York
Las Vegas

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In view of the apparent similarity between the [redacted] operation and the BRODSO-N-HALMO-PA-LMISSANO operation, and in view of the fact the Milwaukee informants advise that BRODSO-N has a beard in Phoenix, it would appear that [redacted] should be considered as a suspect in Phoenix. This information set forth for consideration of Milwaukee and Phoenix.

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Los Angeles will target [redacted] to develop further particulars regarding BRODSO-N's activities, as requested in Milwaukee airtel of 1/28/74.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

DATE: 5/8/74

FROM : SAC, LOS ANGELES (165-4789)(C)

SUBJECT: NATION-WIDE LAYOFF OPERATION

ITWI

OO: Los Angeles

Los Angeles file 165-4789

Milwaukee file: 165-280

SIDNEY A. BRODSON, aka;

ET AL;

ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING

OO: Milwaukee

Milwaukee file: 165-128

Los Angeles status: RUC

AUGUST SAMUEL PALMISSANO, aka;

ET AL;

IGB; ITAR - GAMBLING;

ITWI; OOJ - CONSPIRACY

OO: Milwaukee

Milwaukee file: 166-364

Los Angeles status: RUC

Re Los Angeles airtel to the Bureau, 2/7/74, and
Los Angeles letter to Milwaukee, 2/15/74.

Enclosed for Milwaukee are recent toll records for
telephone number [REDACTED] which reflect toll calls of
[REDACTED]

ADMINISTRATIVE

It is noted that the case on Nation-Wide Layoff Operation
was previously opened on the basis of information furnished by [REDACTED].
Recent contact with [REDACTED] has failed to reveal
the development of any new significant information concerning a
nation-wide layoff operation.

- ② - Bureau
- 3 - Milwaukee (1 - 165-280)(Encl. 1)
(1 - 165-128)
(1 - 166-364)
- 1 - Los Angeles

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Also, investigation by other offices has failed to reveal any significant tie in of a nation-wide layoff operation to the Los Angeles area. In view of this, case captioned "NATION-WIDE LAYOFF OPERATION" will be put in a closed status pending the development of any new significant information in the future from [redacted] or any other informant. Investigation in the category of the possibilities of the existence of a nation-wide layoff will continue in the Los Angeles Division under cases captioned by specific subject names.

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Recent information furnished by [redacted] is as follows:

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Informant contacted on February 13, 1974, and furnished the following information:

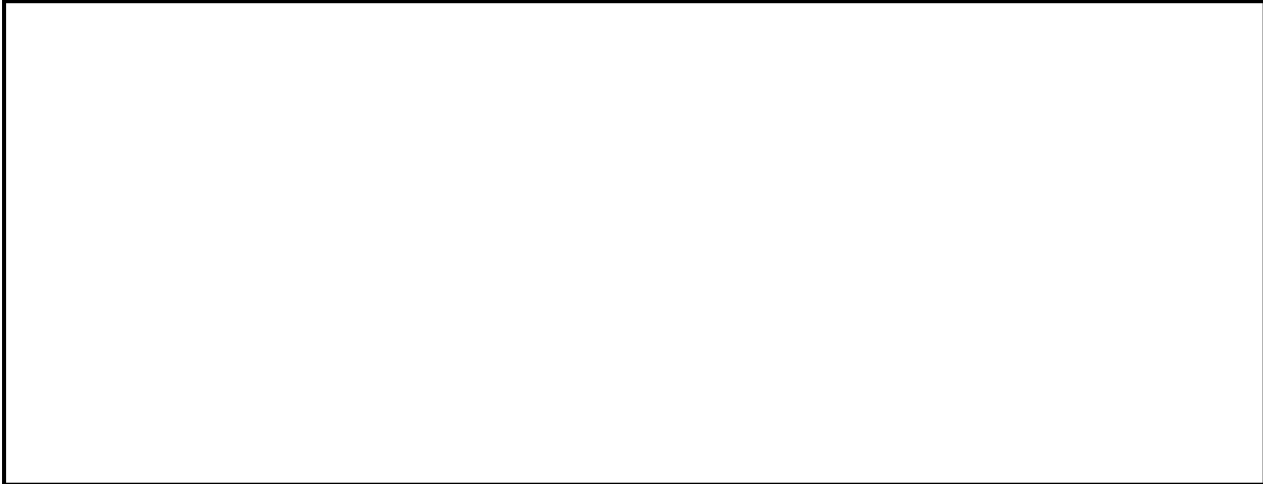
Informant related that [redacted]

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Informant advised that [redacted]

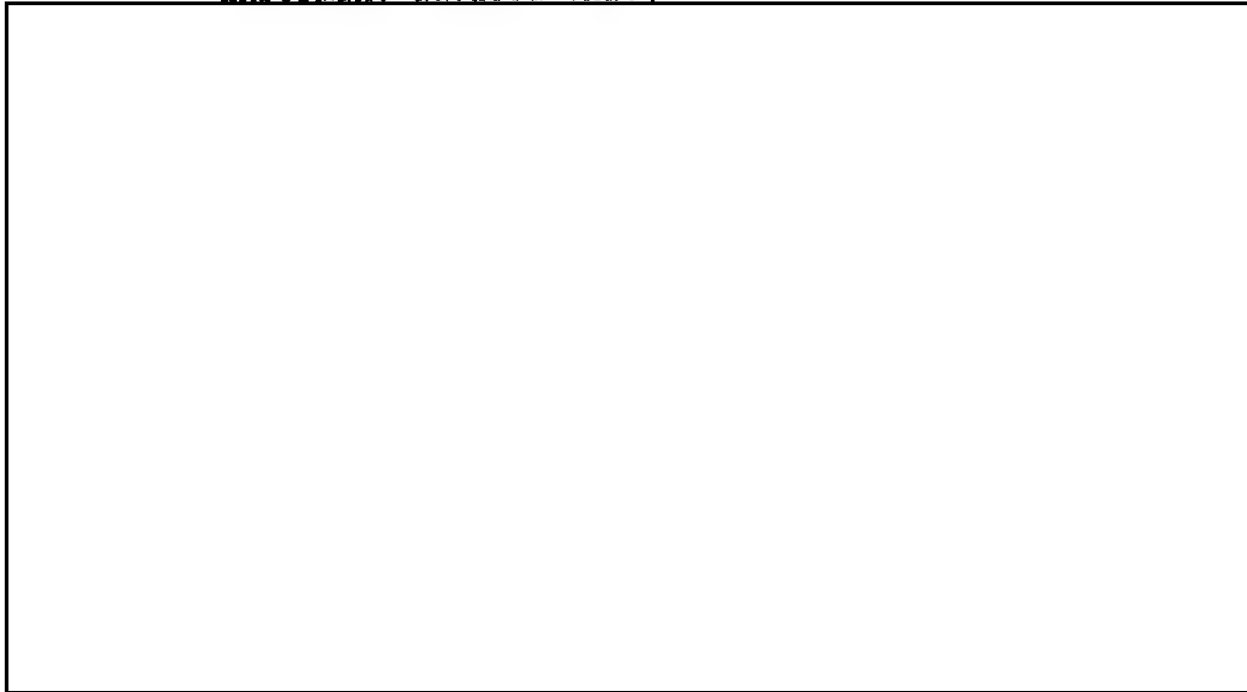
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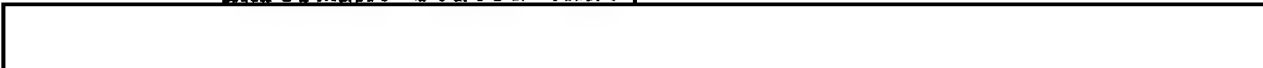
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For the information of Milwaukee, [REDACTED] will continue to be targeted to develop further particulars regarding BRODSON's activities and any such new information developed will immediately be furnished to the Milwaukee Division.

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Milwaukee will also note that enclosed toll records fail to show any telephonic connection between [REDACTED] and any parties in the Milwaukee territory.

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Also for the information of Milwaukee, recent informant coverage has failed to reveal that Los Angeles bookmaking figure [REDACTED] is currently in business. It is noted in the past [REDACTED] has been associated with [REDACTED] in Las Vegas, and [REDACTED] in New York. Los Angeles will also stay alert for any information which would again indicate [REDACTED] to be active and possibly associated with SIDNEY BRODSON.

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Informant contacted March 25, 1974, and advised that a review of records and contact with individual in the know reveals that Jacksonville University was favored in its games with the University of South Alabama on February 9, 1974; Pan American University on February 7, 1974; George Washington University on February 2, 1974, and Providence College on January 29, 1974. Further, Jacksonville University lost to the University of South Alabama 83 to 76 and nationally, there was no price on the game because the University of South Alabama was not well known from a national standpoint. In regard to Jacksonville University game with Pan American University, Jacksonville University won 84 to 71, but there was no price on the game because Pan American University is not well known nationally. In the game with George Washington University, Jacksonville opened up a $\frac{1}{2}$ point favorite and the final score was George Washington 77 and Jacksonville 69. In the game with Providence College, the game opened with Jacksonville a four point favorite and prior to game time it went down to $2\frac{1}{2}$ point favorite. Providence won 106 to 90 and rumors were that there was an "order" in on that game. Informant stated that to his knowledge there was no wide fluctuation in the point spread. Informant could not pinpoint the "order" on the Jacksonville and Providence College game.

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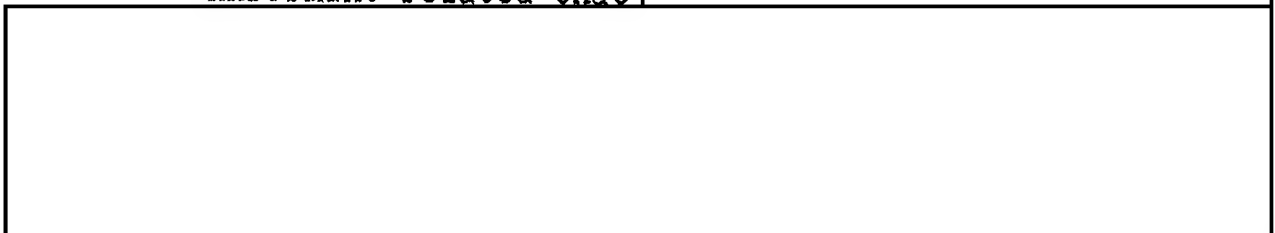
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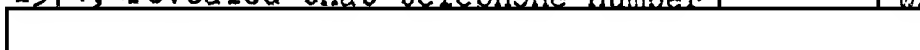
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AT PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA

The Palm Springs City Directory, checked on March 18, 1974, revealed that telephone number [REDACTED] was listed to [REDACTED]



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On March 18, 1974, records of the Credit Bureau of Palm Springs revealed that [REDACTED] have been on

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file with that office since March, 1971. They reside at [redacted] have previous address of [redacted] and [redacted] He was employed by [redacted] and previously employed as a laborer for [redacted] He was born in [redacted] and had Social Security Account Number [redacted].

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Records of the Palm Springs, California, Police Department, checked April 3, 1974, contained no information identifiable with [redacted].

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On April 4, 1974, [redacted] [redacted], advised he has never lived outside the State of California, has never been to Wisconsin, and does not know SIDNEY BRODSO, AUGUST PALMISSANO, or [redacted]. He stated he has never placed bets locally, or by telephone and could furnish no explanation as to how his telephone number appeared on the records of BRODSO. He pointed out he had an uncle, [redacted] who has lived in St. Cloud, Minnesota, for more than 20 years. However, he has never telephoned that uncle.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : Director, FBI (165-1347)

DATE: 6/10/74

FROM : SAC, Milwaukee (165-128) (P)

SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSOY, aka
ET AL
ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING
OO: Milwaukee

Re Milwaukee letter to Bureau dated 12/27/73
and Bureau 0-1 Form dated 6/6/74, attached.

Investigation in this matter will continue to be
reported under caption "AUGUST S. PALMISANO; ET AL; ITAR -
GAMBLING; IGB; OOJ," Milwaukee file 166-364, Bureau file
166-5400. UACB, no reports will be submitted to the Bureau
under captioned title; however, a copy of the PALMISANO
report will be furnished for instant file.

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2 - Milwaukee (165-128)

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**Assistant Attorney General
Criminal Division**

All of the above-mentioned electronic surveillances were installed under the provisions of Title III of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968. Details of these conversations have already been furnished to [redacted] Chicago Strike Force Attorney, Chicago, Illinois.

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The voice of an individual possibly identical with Sidney A. Brodson was monitored on September 10, 1964, by a microphone surveillance of this Bureau identified as MI 648-C*. MI 648-C*, which involved trespass, was installed on June 10, 1964, under the general authority of the Attorney General of the United States and was discontinued on February 5, 1965. It was located in Walter Felix Brocca's restaurant, 519 West Wells Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Details of this conversation have already been furnished to [redacted].

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Information from MI 648-C* was not disseminated to any other agency nor was it included in any other report by this Bureau.

Other than the above, the aforementioned individuals were not monitored by any other electronic device of the FBI.

It is suggested that other Federal investigative agencies be contacted to determine if they had coverage of the subjects.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (165-1347)

DATE: January 2, 1976

FROM : *Wm* *849*, MILWAUKEE (165-128) (C)

SUBJECT: SIDNEY A. BRODSO, aka
ET AL
ITWI; ITAR - GAMBLING

OO: MILWAUKEE

Re Milwaukee letter to Bureau, dated June 10, 1974
and Milwaukee report of SA [REDACTED], dated March 13, 1975. b6
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On December 15, 1975, United States Court of Appeals
appealed the decision of MYRON L. GORDON to dismiss the indict-
ment against subject. Further developments regarding this
matter will be reported to the Bureau in Milwaukee file 182-386,
Bufile 182-2596 entitled, '[REDACTED] ET AL. ITWI; IGB;
CONSPIRACY. OO: Milwaukee.' b6
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